

CUT-OFF ON TIME AND FARES

Lane Line Brings Omaha Nearer to Western Nebraska.

ALSO REDUCES PASSENGER RATES

New Spurt of Track Makes Union Pacific the Short Line to Grand Island at a Cheaper Price.

Omaha will be nearer to the central and western part of the state...

This not only makes a saving in distance but has also had the effect of reducing the passenger rates...

The same thing applies to stations on the branch lines north and south...

What the Union Pacific will do with the time saved by the issuing of the new schedule is also a problem...

Old and New Rates.

The old and new rates and the reductions from Omaha to different points in the state are as follows:

Table with columns: From, Old, New, Reduction. Lists rates for Fremont, Schuyler, Columbia, Central City, Grand Island, Kearney, North Platte, Humphrey, Norfolk, Albion.

The first regular trains will run over the Lane Cut-Off Sunday, although the service will be somewhat limited until the second track is completed.

General Manager Mohler has arranged to take the heads of the various departments of the Union Pacific over the road in a special train, Saturday afternoon.

Burt Examines Great Western.

Horace G. Burt, former president of the Union Pacific, has been appointed to examine the financial condition of the Great Western in the interest of the English and American security holders.

The committee has an absolute veto power upon the action of the directors as far as the issue of securities and the expending of money is concerned.

Age and Gazette Combine.

On June 1 the Railway Age and the Railroad Gazette will be consolidated and the resources of both will be used to make the Railway Age-Gazette the greatest and most up-to-date railroad journal printed.

but in the future this united journal will strive to distance all competitors in the field of journalism.

Change in Train Time. Changes in the arriving and leaving time of several of the trains in Union station are announced, effective May 17.

Union Pacific Losses. The March financial report of the Union Pacific shows gross revenue of \$5,345,262, a decrease of \$84,736 over March, 1907.

The gross revenue for the nine months of the fiscal year, ending March 31, shows the gross revenues of the Union Pacific to be \$58,094,256, an increase of \$1,822,019.

Rise in Stocks. When Harriman said the other day, "What is \$25,000,000 to the Union Pacific," he had evidently been watching the rise in quotations of the stocks in other roads.

Economical Refrigerators

One special offering from our extensive line and from our numerous bargains. This refrigerator is constructed with new scientific cold air circulation and is wonderfully economical.

OMAHA RAISES WOOL PRICE

Market Being Established Here Compels Eastern Buyers to Come Up.

ADVANCE IS TWO CENTS A POUND

Omaha is Commended by the Press and Statesmen of the Sheep-Raising Country for Its Enterprise.

Already the establishment of the wool warehouse and the promised market has been responsible for the price offered by eastern buyers being advanced 2 cents per pound.

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The better price of 14 cents has been offered by buyers as a result of the Omaha warehouses, but, according to the Wyoming papers, which keep in close touch with the situation, but one sale has been made.

A special to the Post of Sheridan says that the only sale which has been made was by Robert Cromswate of Casper, who consigned a carload to a Chicago commission house, which advanced 10 cents per pound on the shipment, which consisted of some 14,000 pounds.

Factories to Follow.

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Will Ship All to Omaha.

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Saturday Specials

A Fair Sample of the Manner in Which the Hartman Store Undersells



\$1.39

Solid Oak Rocker

This is a very handsome rocker; has broad panel back, beautifully carved. It is extra strong and substantial—a wonderful bargain.

LET US FURNISH YOUR Home Completely

If you've a single room which you wish to furnish completely, get our prices on the outfit. If you have several rooms to furnish it is more important that you get our figures, because the greater the number of rooms to furnish the greater your savings. We're making special prices on outfits for single rooms, for several rooms and for complete homes which figure at least one-third lower than those of any other home-furnishing concern in Omaha.



\$7.75

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One special offering from our extensive line and from our numerous bargains. This refrigerator is constructed with new scientific cold air circulation and is wonderfully economical.

Folding Porch Settees 89c

PAINTED RED OR GREEN

On Sale Saturday

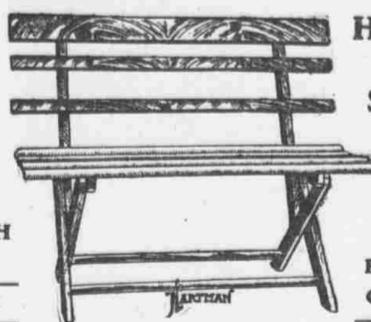
FOR 89c

ONE TO EACH CUSTOMER

No Dealers Supplied

These Settees

Are painted in the most handsome manner. The heavy coats of paint not only add to the appearance, but preserve the wood and give great durability to the settee.



HARTMAN

Saturday Sale Special

PORCH SETTEES

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89c

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22 GREAT STORES THROUGHOUT THE U. S.

HARTMAN'S 1414-1416-1418 Douglas Street

58c

Solid Oak Diners

These chairs have substantial seat and have broad back. They are made of the best selected materials and offered at about one-half value.

Special Offers

Table with columns: Rooms, Furnished Completely, Terms. Lists offers for 3, 4, 5, and 6 rooms.

This Handsome Go-Cart

This is our Go-Cart Special and is worth double the low price we're asking. It has a full road body, cane seat and back, large wheels and rubber tires. It is certainly a bargain, and positively cannot be duplicated in Omaha at the price.



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versally commended by the growers and newspapers of Wyoming. Some of the comments are as follows:

Journal, Lander: The Omaha wool market will be of inestimable benefit to the grower and establishes a new and most friendly relation with Omaha, the market town.

Journal, Rawlins: The establishment of a wool warehouse at Omaha will do much to relieve the condition—the buyers taking the advantage of the growers.

Journal, Rock Springs: Better prices for wool will be received by the producers of the west as a result of the arrangement made by Omaha capitalists for holding the wool in storage at Omaha, instead of allowing the growers to be at the mercy of the eastern buyers.

Leader, Cheyenne: "The Omaha wool market will prevent the eastern commission houses and manipulators from fleecing the growers," according to State Senator Patrick Sullivan of Casper.

Senator Warren in the Journal of Lander: "The project of establishing a market at Omaha should have been undertaken a long time ago, and I will long my support to the proposition, as Omaha is the natural market for the great trans-mountain section."

WYOMING MEN HOLDING CLIPS

Decide This Policy Necessary to Secure Their Value.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 15.—(Special).—A canvass of the state just completed shows that the recent storms did little damage generally throughout the state.

In a few instances there were heavy losses of sheep, where the animals were caught immediately after shearing and where little or no shelter was afforded, and where the storms were especially severe. The cold, unfavorable weather has caused light losses of lambs in some quarters, but not the loss that has been reported. Lambing is only about one-third done, and with good weather from now on the shepherds will realize a normal lamb crop, the percentage in the more favored sections and also in the late lambing sections and the former in the sections where sheep lambed early and where severe storms prevailed. Seventy-five per cent should be the average for the state.

There is little or no change in the wool situation. Few if any offers for the wool are being made, except on the consignment basis, and then the advances are not such as to encourage growers to consign. Sheep-

THREAT TO KILL SELF GOES

John B. Sawhill of South Omaha Turns On the Gas and Dies.

John B. Sawhill committed suicide Thursday night at his daughter's home, 2314 L street, South Omaha, by inhaling illuminating gas. He was last seen when he retired at bed time and his body was discovered by his daughter when she tried to awaken him at 11 a. m. Friday morning.

Mr. Sawhill was 62 years old and was a skilled architect and draftsman. He had been working until the last month or two under E. M. Rohrbaugh at the city hall in South Omaha. He was subject to depression.

The first 30 small women get into our store Saturday morning at 9 o'clock will be the lucky ones. We will sell suits for \$15 that were formerly \$25.50 to \$35. Benson & Thorne Co., 1515-1517 Douglas street.

Eighty Firms on Trade Tour

That Many Omaha Business Houses Have Made Reservations for Excursion.

Eighty representatives of Omaha business houses have now made reservations for berths and apartments on the trade excursion train which leaves Omaha Sunday evening, May 24, for an extended trip through western Nebraska, Colorado and Wyoming.

Only five more places remain, as fifteen reservations have been made for guests of the club, newspaper writers and photographers, who will accompany the trade excursionists.

To make the scheduled time it will be impossible to add to the equipment of the train and the first five to be served; all others will be compelled to wait until the next excursion.

Booklets containing scenes of Omaha and western life, as well as portraits of every man in the party, are being published, and they will be among the most handsome souvenirs ever published by any city. Special designs have been made by the best of Omaha artists and the booklet is different from anything ever published before.

The trade excursion committee has received a petition from the citizens of Hudson, Wyo., asking that the schedule the train was not to stop at Hudson, but when thirty business men of a town send a petition the club is sure to recognize it. The schedule will not be changed, but the railroad company will make up ten or fifteen minutes in running time and the train will stop at Hudson.

Wray, Colo., is not behind the other towns which are preparing to receive the Omahans. Bunches of advertising matter about Wray, scores of postal cards showing scenes in the town and a letter from the Chamber of Commerce giving the names of a reception committee have been received by the committee in charge of the excursion.

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GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

Advertisement for Gold Medal Flour featuring a woman and a flour sack. Text includes: Pure, Wholesome, Clean, Nutritious, Excellent, Genuine, Faultless, Worthy, Helpful, Reliable. The Power behind the Cook.

No Dark Lantern Practices

We have not issued any "Gold Bond Certificates"

Therefore our prices (upon investigation) will be found to be from \$75.00 to \$150.00 less than other dealers.

We do not resort to dark lantern practices to inveigle prospective Piano Buyers to our store. We do not issue Gold Certificates to every Tom, Dick and Harry in Nebraska and claim that they have earned \$75.00 just because they sent to us their names and addresses.

Table listing piano models and prices: Linderman & Sons \$75, New York \$80, C. A. Smith \$110, Hallett & Davis \$125, Kimball \$125, Vose & Sons \$130, Emerson \$135, Hinze \$145, Vose & Sons \$145, Steger \$185, Chickering & Sons \$285, Boston \$285.

Pianos for rent, tuned and repaired.

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